

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants :	Patrick D. Blattner et al.	Art Unit :	2174
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**Mail Stop Amendment**

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**REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION**

This paper is responsive to the Office Action mailed March 23, 2007, which has a period for response extending through June 25, 2007 (June 23 being a Saturday).

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** follow the amendment section and begin on page 15.